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For: NUCLEOSIDE 5'-METHYLENE PHOSPHONATES

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9-26. In particular, patentees erred in not claiming the chemical compounds set forth in claims

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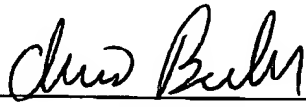
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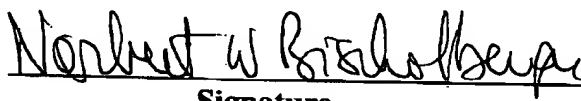
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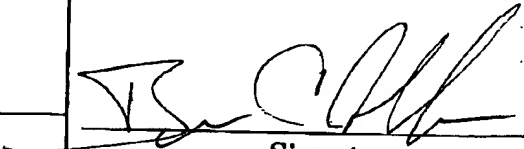
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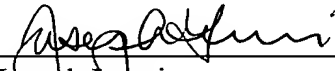
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